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C O N F I D E N T I A L SANTIAGO 7156

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: SREF CVIS CI  
SUBJECT: CHILEAN REFUGEE PAROLE PROGRAM

REF: A) STATE 175525, B) BA 5956, C) STATE 179869, D) STATE 195665

1. AS THE DEPARTMENT IS AWARE, WE HAVE ISSUED PAROLE DOCUMENTS FOR 364 OF THE 400 REFUGEES AUTHORIZED ENTRY INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM CHILE AND PERU, WITH LIMA ISSUING THE REMAINING 36 TO COMPLETE THAT PROGRAM. IN ADDITION, WE HAVE TO DATE ISSUED 25 PAROLE DOCUMENTS OUT OF A TENTATIVE ALLOTMENT OF 50 UNDER THE REFUGEE PAROLE PROGRAM FOR 200 IN ARGENTINA.

2. IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN SUFFICIENT CASES IN OUR PIPELINE TO MEET THIS TENTATIVE QUOTA OF 50 CASES FROM THE ARGENTINE PROGRAM, WE WILL SUBMIT THREE ADDITIONAL DESERVING APPLICATIONS FOR APPROVAL BY DEPT-INS/CO WHICH ALREADY CONTAIN INS OFFICER'S POSITIVE RECOMMENDATIONS (INTERVIEWS CONDUCTED IN APRIL BY TDY INS OFFICER SHUNKS). LIKE BUENOS AIRES WE CONTINUE TO HAVE DROPOUTS EVEN IN THE LAST STAGES OF PROCESSING. WE ANTICIPATE THE LOSS OF TWO MORE APPLICANTS (ONE OF WHOM IS APPROVED WITH SPONSOR) WHICH WOULD FURTHER REDUCE OUR ACTIVE CASELOAD, AND WE WILL THUS DRAW AS NEEDED FROM OUR RESERVE OF DESERVING APPLICANTS IN ORDER TO FILL THIS GAP.

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3. IN ADDITION, IF AN EXTENSION OF THE REFUGEE PAROLE PROGRAM IS AUTHORIZED IN BUENOS AIRES OR LIMA, WE HAVE THE FOLLOWING RESERVOIR OF CASES, SOME OF WHOM MAY QUALIFY, SHOULD THOSE EXPANDED PROGRAMS FALL SHORT OF ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS.

A. 35 - MAJORITY LOCATED IN SANTIAGO AREA. VISAS EAGLE AND SECURITY CHECKS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED WITH NEGATIVE

RESULTS ON ALL.

B. 17 - MAJORITY LOCATED IN SANTIAGO AREA. LACK VISAS  
EAGLES AND SECURITY CHECKS BUT APPEAR TO BE GOOD, "EASY"  
CASES.

C. 99 - MORE DIFFICULT CASES (I.E. LOCATED OR IMPRISONED  
IN DISTANT AREAS, HAVE DEROGATORY INFO IN COMPLETED  
SECURITY CHECKS, OR INFO ON ICEM REFERRAL SHEET WHICH WOULD  
MAKE DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY MORE DIFFICULT.)  
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